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From: Killius, Anna [Anna.Killius@mail.house.gov]
Sent: Monday, September 14, 2015 9:31 AM
To: Colip, Matthew
Subject: RE: Information on connection between CWA Sec. 401 and FERC hydrolicensing reform

That works for me. Thanks, Matt.

Anna Killius | *Legislative Assistant*
Congressman John P. Sarbanes, MD-03

From: Colip, Matthew [<mailto:colip.matthew@epa.gov>]
Sent: Monday, September 14, 2015 9:28 AM
To: Killius, Anna
Subject: RE: Information on connection between CWA Sec. 401 and FERC hydrolicensing reform

Good morning – how about from 3-4pm on Tuesday.

Thanks - Matt

From: Killius, Anna [<mailto:Anna.Killius@mail.house.gov>]
Sent: Thursday, September 10, 2015 2:51 PM
To: Colip, Matthew
Subject: RE: Information on connection between CWA Sec. 401 and FERC hydrolicensing reform

Hi Matt –

Thanks for getting back to me. The best days for me next week would be Tuesday or Friday. Would either of those days between 10 and 4 work for you?

Thanks,

Anna Killius | *Legislative Assistant*
Congressman John P. Sarbanes, MD-03

From: Colip, Matthew [<mailto:colip.matthew@epa.gov>]
Sent: Thursday, September 10, 2015 2:46 PM
To: Killius, Anna
Subject: Re: Information on connection between CWA Sec. 401 and FERC hydrolicensing reform

Hi Anna - are you available for a call with our 401 contact in general counsel next week? If so, what's your availability?

Thanks - Matt

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 26, 2015, at 1:23 PM, Killius, Anna <Anna.Killius@mail.house.gov> wrote:

Hey Matt – Any chance you've had an opportunity to look into this? Or know who the best point of contact would be?

Thanks!

Anna Killius | *Legislative Assistant*
Congressman John P. Sarbanes, MD-03

From: Killius, Anna
Sent: Thursday, August 13, 2015 1:26 PM
To: 'Colip, Matthew'
Subject: Information on connection between CWA Sec. 401 and FERC hydrolicensing reform

Hi Matt,

We're looking to get some guidance or technical assistance from the EPA on understanding what effect proposed changes to the FERC licensing process for hydropower facilities may have on states' authority to issue Sec. 401 water quality certifications. A discussion draft put forward in the Energy and Commerce Committee has raised some concerns on the part of the state of Maryland, especially with regard to Conowingo Dam's relicensing. We share the state's interest in wanting to know how Sec. 401 operates, how states and tribal authorities use Sec. 401 to protect water quality and what impacts this particular piece of legislation – the Hydropower Regulatory Modernization Act – may have on their ability to use Sec. 401 in the future.

What's the best mechanism to get a response to these questions in a timely and substantive manner? Happy to get your advice on the best format.

Thanks and all the best,

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